

Cambridge International Examinations Cambridge Pre-U Certificate

CHEMISTRY

9791/03 May/June 2016

Paper 3 Part B Written MARK SCHEME Maximum Mark: 100

Published

This mark scheme is published as an aid to teachers and candidates, to indicate the requirements of the examination. It shows the basis on which Examiners were instructed to award marks. It does not indicate the details of the discussions that took place at an Examiners' meeting before marking began, which would have considered the acceptability of alternative answers.

Mark schemes should be read in conjunction with the question paper and the Principal Examiner Report for Teachers.

Cambridge will not enter into discussions about these mark schemes.

Cambridge is publishing the mark schemes for the May/June 2016 series for most Cambridge IGCSE[®], Cambridge International A and AS Level components and some Cambridge O Level components.

® IGCSE is the registered trademark of Cambridge International Examinations.

This syllabus is approved for use in England, Wales and Northern Ireland as a Cambridge International Level 3 Pre-U Certificate.

This document consists of 10 printed pages.



Page 2	Mark Scheme	Syllabus	Paper
	Cambridge Pre-U – May/June 2016	9791	03

Mark schemes will use these abbreviations:

separates marking points

I alternatives

ORA or reverse argument

ALLOW for a non-ideal but allowable alternative valid point

NOT answer is not credited

<u>underline</u> actual word underlined must be used by candidate (grammatical variants excepted)

(xxx) wording in brackets is for the clarity of the mark scheme but is not required

max indicates the maximum number of marks that can be given

+ or **AND** statements on both sides of the + or **AND** are needed for that mark

ECF error carried forward

IGNORE for an answer that is not creditworthy but does not invalidate any additional creditworthy response

Page 3	Mark Scheme	Syllabus	Paper
	Cambridge Pre-U – May/June 2016	9791	03

Question	Answer	Mark
1(a)(i)	Any three from the following:	3
	Gas molecules behave as rigid spheres (1)	
	No intermolecular forces (1)	
	Collisions are perfectly elastic (1)	
	Molecules have no/negligible volume (1)	
1(a)(ii)	Pressure of a gas (at constant temperature) is inversely proportional to volume (1)	1
1(a)(iii)	Volume of a gas (at constant pressure) is proportional to temperature (1)	1
1(a)(iv)	Low temperature and high pressure (1)	3
	Kinetic energy of the molecules decreases at low temperature so the intermolecular forces are more significant (1)	
	At high pressure the volume of the molecules becomes increasingly significant (1)	
1(a)(v)	$H_2 > CH_4 > Cl_2 > CH_3Cl(1)$	4
	CH ₃ C <i>l</i> has permanent dipole (– permanent dipole) attraction	
	AND $H_2/CH_4/Cl_2$ have instantaneous (dipole) – induced dipole attractions (1)	
	Strength of instantaneous dipole – induced dipole is $Cl_2 > CH_4 > H_2$ linked to increased number of electrons (1)	
	Permanent dipole(- permanent dipole) attraction greater than instantaneous dipole - induced dipole attractions (1)	
1(b)(i)	Vertical axis = number of molecules (1)	2
	Horizontal = energy (1)	
1(b)(ii)	Second curve has peak higher and to left of original peak (1)	2
	Finishes below original and does not touch <i>x</i> -axis (1)	

Page 4	Mark Scheme	Syllabus	Paper
	Cambridge Pre-U – May/June 2016	9791	03

Question	Answer	Mark
1(b)(iii)	Activation energy shown on curve	2
	Reference to greater area beyond E_a at higher T/area under the curve is proportional to the number of molecules (1)	
	Greater rate at higher temperature because more molecules collide with an energy greater than the activation energy (1)	
1(c)(i)	(Using Expt 1 and 2) when [NO] doubles (and $[O_2]$ stays the same) then the rate $\times 4$, therefore order = 2 (1)	3
	(Using Expt 1 and 3) when $[O_2]$ doubles (and $[NO]$ stays the same) then the rate doubles, therefore order = 1 (1)	
	Rate = $k[NO]^2[O_2](1)$	
1(c)(ii)	$k = rate / [NO]^{2}[O_{2}] = 1.15 \times 10^{-14} / (1.25 \times 10^{-3})^{2} (1.25 \times 10^{-3})$ = 5.89 × 10 ⁻⁶ (1)	2
	units = $dm^6 mol^{-2} s^{-1} (1)$	
1(c)(iii)	$p = nRT/V = 2.5 \times 10^{-3} \times 8.31 \times 80/1.0 \times 10^{-3} (1)$	2
	$= 1.66 \times 10^3 (Pa) (1)$	

Question	Answer	Mark
2(a)(i)	Forward and reverse rates are equal (1)	1
2(a)(ii)	If the conditions of an equilibrium are changed equilibrium moves to reduce/oppose the change (1)	1
2(b)(i)	$\frac{[CO(g)] [H_2O(g)]}{[CO_2(g)] [H_2(g)]} $ (1)	1
2(b)(ii)	The forward reaction is endothermic as K_c increases as the temperature increases (1)	1
2(b)(iii)	There is no change (in equilibrium position) (1)	2
	There are equal number of moles (of gas) on each side (1)	

Page 5	Mark Scheme	Syllabus	Paper
	Cambridge Pre-U – May/June 2016	9791	03

Question	Answer	Mark
2(b)(iv)	At equilibrium: moles of CO = 6.93×10^{-3} mol (1)	3
	moles of H ₂ = $0.02 - 6.93 \times 10^{-3} = 3.07 \times 10^{-3}$ mol AND moles of CO ₂ = $0.01 - 6.93 \times 10^{-3} = 1.307 \times 10^{-2}$ mol (1)	
	$K_{\rm c} = \frac{(6.93 \times 10^{-3} /{\rm V})^2}{(3.07 \times 10^{-3} /{\rm V})(1.307 \times 10^{-2} /{\rm V})} = 1.20 \ (1)$	
2(c)(i)	$31.40 \times 0.2/1000 = 6.28 \times 10^{-3} = \text{mol OH}^{-1}$ to neutralise 10 cm^{-3} (1)	2
	So OH^- to neutralise 1 dm ³ = $6.28 \times 10^{-3} \times 1000/10 = 0.628 \text{ mol}$ (1)	
2(c)(ii)	At equilibrium: Moles of PC l_3 = moles of C l_2 = x so moles of PC l_5 = 0.1 – x (1)	3
	Hence $5(0.1 - x) + 2(0.1 - x) + 3x + 2x = 0.628$ (1)	
	$x = 0.036$, amount of PC $l_5 = 0.064$ mol (1)	

Question	Answer	Mark
3(a)(i)	(Every atom has) 12 nearest neighbours (1)	1
3(a)(ii)	• 2 x * indicate 3rd layer in ABC i.e. octahedral holes (1)	3
	• 'T' shows a tetrahedral hole i.e. over atom in bottom or 2nd layer (1)	
	• 'O' shows an octahedral hole i.e. between 1st and 2nd layer atoms (1)	
3(a)(iii)	F^{-} ions occupy tetrahedral holes in the (CCP) lattice of Ca ²⁺ (1)	2
	Ratio of tetrahedral holes to Ca^{2+} ions = 2:1 so F ⁻ occupy all the tetrahedral holes (1)	

© Cambridge International Examinations 2016

Page 6	Mark Scheme	Syllabus	Paper
	Cambridge Pre-U – May/June 2016	9791	03

Question	Answer	Mark
3(b)(i)	RFM of SnC l_4 = 260.7 AND RFM of SnC l_2 = 189.7 (1)	3
	% by mass of Sn in SnC l_2 = 62.6% AND % by mass of Sn in SnC l_4 = 45.5% (1) 62.6x/100 + 45.5(100 - x)/100 = 50 x = 25.9% (1)	
3(b)(ii)	E° (H ⁺ /H ₂)is more positive than E° (Sn ²⁺ /Sn) but less positive than for E° (Sn ⁴⁺ /Sn ²⁺) so H ⁺ can oxidise Sn to Sn ²⁺ (but not Sn ²⁺ to Sn ⁴⁺) (1) E° (C l_2/Cl^-)more positive than sum of E° (Sn ²⁺ /Sn) and E° (Sn ⁴⁺ /Sn ²⁺) so can also oxidise Sn ²⁺ to Sn ⁴⁺ (1) Predictions using E° are limited to aqueous solutions and standard conditions (1)	3

Page 7	Mark Scheme	Syllabus	Paper
	Cambridge Pre-U – May/June 2016	9791	03

Question	Answer	Mark
3(c)(i)	×C•×O	1
3(c)(ii)	Covalent to ionic (down the group) (1)	2
	(C to Pb) electronegativity decreases/electronegativity difference increases (1)	

Question	Answer	Mark
4(a)(i)	M1: curly arrow shown correctly (1)	5
	M2: lone pair on carbon of CN [−] (1)	
	M3: correct dipole on C–Br (1)	
	$\begin{array}{c} 90^{\circ} H \\ N \equiv C \cdots Br \\ H_3 C C H_2 H \\ 120^{\circ} \end{array}$ M4: trigonal bipyramid shown (1) M5: both bond angles correct (1)	
4(a)(ii)	First step of mechanism with correct curly arrow (1)	3
	$(CH_3)_3C^+$ and Br ⁻ shown (1) Tertiary carbocation is stabilised by (electron-release from) three methyl groups (1)	
4(b)(i)	$C_3H_7CN + H_2O \rightarrow C_3H_7CONH_2$ (1)	1

Page 8	Mark Scheme	Syllabus	Paper
	Cambridge Pre-U – May/June 2016	9791	03

Question	Answer	Mark
4(b)(ii)	$(C_3H_7CONH_2 + H_2O + H^*) \rightarrow C_3H_7COOH + NH_4^+ (1)$	1
4(b)(iii)	Hydrolysis (1)	2
	No change in FGL (1)	
4(c)	C ₃ H ₇ CH ₂ NH ₂ /1-butanamine/1-aminobutane/ <i>n</i> -butylamine (1)	3
	Reduction (1)	
	FGL falls (from carboxylic acid level to alcohol level) (1)	
4(d)(i)	Nucleophilic addition (1)	1
4(d)(ii)		1
	$\mathbf{W} = \overset{I}{OH} \tag{1}$	
4(d)(iii)	Nucleophilic substitution (1)	1
4(d)(iv)	$PBr_3/P + Br_2(1)$	1
4(d)(v)	NH ₃ (1)	2
	In ethanol and warmed OR heat in sealed tube (1)	
4(d)(vi)	CH ₃ CH ₂ CH(CH ₃)CH(NH ₂)CN (1)	1
4(d)(vii)	Enantiomers: D/A (S-S/R-R) and B/C (S-R/R-S) (1)	3
	Diastereoisomers: D/B (S-S/S-R); D/C (S-S/R-S); A/C (R-R/R-S) and A/B (R-R/S-R) Award 2 marks for all 4 pairs Award 1 mark for 2 pairs	

Page 9	Mark Scheme	Syllabus	Paper
	Cambridge Pre-U – May/June 2016	9791	03

Question	Answer	Mark
5(a)(i)	C ₄ H ₁₀ (1)	1
5(a)(ii)	Isomer 1=CH ₃ CH ₂ CH ₂ CH ₃ AND isomer 2 = (CH ₃) ₃ CH (1)	3
	Isomer 1: quartet due to CH_2 protons split by adjacent CH_3 AND triplet due to CH_3 protons split by CH_2 (1)	
	Isomer 2: doublet due to CH_3 protons split by adjacent CH AND dectet due to CH proton split by 3 adjacent CH_3 groups (1)	
5(b)(i)	Contain ⁷⁹ Br and ⁸¹ Br (1)	2
	Equal abundance of molecular ions as isotopes exist in 50:50 ratio (1)	
5(b)(ii)	C ₃ H ₇ Br (1)	1
5(b)(iii)	Isomer 3 = $(CH_3)_2CHBr$ AND isomer 4 = $CH_3CH_2CH_2Br$ (1)	3
	m/z 29 arises from a C_2H_5 fragment (1)	
	m/z 109 and 107 due to loss of CH ₃ or arises from CH ₃ CHBr or CH ₂ CH ₂ Br (1)	
5(b)(iv)	$\left[C_{3}H_{7}Br\right]^{+} \to \left[C_{3}H_{7}\right]^{+} + Br$	2
	$M1 = C_3H_7$ as a product (1) $M2$ = rest of equation (1)	
5(c)(i)	Isomer 5 = $CH_3(CH_2)_3CHO$ giving alcohol $CH_3(CH_2)_3CH(C_2H_5)OH$ (1)	3
	Isomer 6 = $CH_3(CH_2)_2COCH_3$ giving $CH_3(CH_2)_2C(CH_3)(C_2H_5)OH$ (1)	
	Isomer 7 = $(C_2H_5)_2CO$ giving $(C_2H_5)_3COH$ (1)	
5(c)(ii)	$HCHO + C_2H_5MgBr + H_2O \rightarrow CH_3(CH_2)_2OH + Mg(OH)Br$	2
	M1 = $CH_3(CH_2)_2OH(1)$ M2 = rest of equation (1)	

Page 10	Mark Scheme	Syllabus	Paper
	Cambridge Pre-U – May/June 2016	9791	03

Question	Answer	Mark
5(d)(i)	Isomer 8 and isomer 9 may be 2-methylphenol or 3-methylphenol (1)	3
	Isomer 10 is 4-methylphenol (1)	
	Isomer 11 is phenylmethanol (1)	
5(d)(ii)	(4) peaks in 125–150 ppm and (1) peak in 50–65 ppm (1)	1